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Political Organization Notice of Section 527 Status

OMB No. 1545-1693 Internal Revenue Service General Information Employer identification number Name of organization 38 22 0 38 4 5 CMS Energy Corp. Employees for Better Government Mailing address (P.O. Box or number, street, and room or suite number) 212 W. Michigan Ave. City or town, state, and ZIP code Jackson, MI 49201-2276 E-mail address of organization Custodian's address 4a Name of custodian of records 212 W. Michigan Ave. Howard Edelson Jackson, MI 49201-2276 5b Contact person's address 5a Name of contact person 212 W. Michigan Ave. Carrie Schneider Jackson, MI 49201-2276 Business address of organization (if different from mailing address shown above). Number, street, and room or suite number 212 W. Michigan Ave. City or town, state, and ZIP code Jackson, MI 49201-2276 Part II **Purpose** Describe the purpose of the organization Political Action Committee organized under the laws of the State of Michigan for the purpose of receiving contributions and making expenditures to various candidates for state and local political office. List of All Related Entities (see instructions) 8c Address 8b Relationship 8a Name of related entity connected 330 Town Center Drive CMS Energy Corporation Employees for Better (Fed PAC ID # Government C00075473) Dearborn, MI 48126 RECEIVED JUL 3 1 2000

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Part IV List of All Officers, Directors, and Highly Compensated Employees (see instructions) 9a Name 9b Title 9c Address 3201 E. Court St. Jimmy King Chairman Flint, MI 48501 17000 Croswell St.	
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Carrie Schneider Secretary Jackson, MI 49201-2276	
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Thomas W. Heikkinen Treasurer Jackson, MI 49201-2276	
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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that the organization named in Part I is to be treated as an organization described in section. Revenue Code, and that I have examined this notice, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my kind.	n 527 of the Interna nowledge and belief
it is true, correct, and complete.	
Sign Mayor W Leilliain Islamen 7-26-00 Date	
Here Signature of authorized official Date	